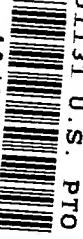


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BOX PATENT APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Application of Saied BOZORGUI-NESBAT
**METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ALPHANUMERIC DATA ENTRY
USING A KEYPAD**
Our Ref: RSB-2001(A)

Dear Sir:

This is a request for a Continuation-In-Part Application of pending prior Application No. 09/811,558 filed March 20, 2001 of *Saied BOZORGUI-NESABT* entitled **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ALPHANUMERIC DATA ENTRY USING A KEYPAD**.

Attached hereto is the Continuation-In-Part Application including the specification, claims, 8 sheets of formal drawing, and Declaration and Power of Attorney.

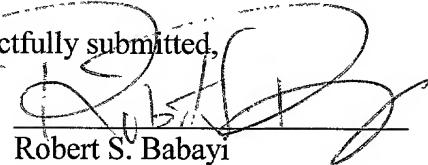
Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: --This is a Continuation-in-Part of Application No. 09/811,558 filed March 20, 2000.--

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